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REPUBLICANS GAIN STRAIGHT OUT VICTORY IN CHARLEROI

John Jenkins Pulls Out Ahead of R. P. Fitzgerald for Justice.

FURLONG LEADS TICKET

Dr. A. O. Davis for Council a Close Second—Walgreen and Nealon School Directors.

For the first time for years a straight Republican ticket was elected in the various borough offices in this place yesterday. The Democrats did not get a single man in office, something that is rather unusual. There was a tight contest for justice of the peace in which John Jenkins, the Republican nominee, pulled out ahead over R. P. Fitzgerald, his Democratic opponent, by a plurailty of 27 votes. Fitzgerald unexpectedly carried well in the first precinct, which was considered Jenkins' stronghold, beating out his Republican opponent by 42 votes. Jenkins overcame this lead in the second and third precincts, however.

Furlong, one of the Republican nominees for council, lead the ticket, having a total of 506 votes. The second highest was Dr. Alden O. Davis for council with 459 votes, and Charles Walgreen for school director was third with 408 votes.

Nearly 700 votes were cast, about half of the qualified voters turning out. The friends of each candidate worked hard the entire day, realizing that there was a warm conetet before them. From early in the morning it was evident that the fight would be nip and tuck between Jenkins and Fitzgerald for justice, and workers for both were busy all day long.

Those elected to the various offices as voted in the tabulated returns given below, are indicated by a star:

COUNCIL	1st	2nd	3rd	Total
*Furlong, R.	233	148	125	506
*Davis, R.	223	125	111	459
Lambert, D.	67	42	19	128
Richey, D.	91	38	20	149
Mabieu, S.	8	3	6	17
Neslerode, S.	7	2	3	12
SCHOOL DIRECTOR				
*Walgreen, R.	211	106	91	408
*Nealon, R.	131	80	76	287
Cooper, D.	129	71	38	238
Patton, D.	134	79	59	272
Schwartz, S.	8	4	4	16
Smith, S.	10	5	2	17
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE				
*Jenkins, R.	116	98	79	293
Fizgerald, D.	158	59	49	266
Bozau, S.	4	2	0	6
Foss, C.	5	0	0	5
Collins, I-C.	54	30	27	111
ASSESSOR				
*Dawson, R.	153	90	79	322
Mansfield, D.	149	84	52	285
AUDITOR				
*Albright, R.	197	119	95	411
Jobes, D.	149	49	34	232

Judge of Election—First Precinct—*Nelson, R, 239; Campbell, D. 61; Second Precinct—*Hill, R, 136; Estenfelder, 40; Third Precinct—*Pardoe, R, 110; Rodgers, D, 1.

Inspector of Election—First Precinct—*Reeves, R. 235; Jobes, D, 61; Second Precinct-*Assenet, R, 98; Laird, D, 75; Third Precinct—*Mahoney, R. 91, Woods, D., 43.

Assistant Assessor—First Precinct—*Clarke, R, 180; Franks, D, 117; Second Precinct—*Nutt, R, 131; Pieper, D, 38; Third Precinct—*Acker, R., 101; Sauters, D., 29.

FOR RENT—Store room best location in town. Inquire 182 Mail office. 153t6

Well Known Lover Woman Dies at Home

Mrs. A. B. Waller Succumbs After Illness of Several Weeks.

Mrs. Sarah Waller, aged 55 years, wife of A. B. Waller, died at her home near Lover yesterday morning at 9:40 o'clock after an illness of several weeks' duration. Mrs. Waller's maiden name was Thompson, she being a daughter of the late Leonard Thompson. She was born near Coal Centre and had resided in this vicinity her entire life. She was a member of the Maple Creek Christian church. Beside the husband one daughter, Miss Bertie, survive. Funeral services will be held Thursday at 12 o'clock. Interment will be in the Maple Creek cemetery.

REPUBLICAN ALL BUT ONE

North Charleroi Elects Democrat to Position of Assessor.

Unlike Charleroi, the borough of North Charleroi was not carried entirely by the Republicans at the spring election yesterday, and one Democrat won a place, Samuel Gaskill, over Irving Rockwell for assessor. For Judge of election J. A. Springer and S. W. Sharpneck tied, Mr. Springer on the Republican and Mr. Sharpneck on the Democratic ticket. Three Prohibition votes for Mr. Springer carried the day for him, however, and he is elected. The returns are as follows:

Justice of the Peace—Culbertson, R. 70; Cooper, D. 32; Roup, Pro. 4.

Council—Cook, R. 53 Schaffer, R. 47; Linn, D. 31; Myers D. 27; B. Nutt, Pro. 34; Myers, Pro. 4.

School Director—Horn, R. 74; Kibler, R. 54; Kibler, Pro., 3; Caseber, D. 40; Craft, D., 21; Stober, Pro., 6.

Assessor—Rockwell, R. 31; Gaskill, D. 53, Carson, Pro., 12.

Auditor—Williams, R., 51; Bane, D., 37; Hornbake, Pro. 11.

Judge of Election—Springer, R., 50; Sharpneck, D., 50; Springer, Pro. 3.

Inspector—Henderson, R. 48; Scott, D. 45, Meyers, Pro. 14.

To the Public

The barber shop of G. A. Martucci is run as an independent shop, with prics for shaving the same as in the past. No additional price for shaving will be charged.

G. A. Martucci,
621 Fallowfield avenue. F-28

NOTICE

All members of the Charleroi Clerks' Union are requested to attend the regular meeting on Thursday evening, February 17, in the Trust Company Hall, at 8:30. Supreme President H. J. Conway will be present.

FRANK B. TAYLOR,
2t President.

QUADRUPLE YOUR CHANCES TO FINISH IN THE LEAD

Work When the Work Counts Double in the Great Contest and Results are Four Times Greater

REMEMBER PRIZE LIST AND DO YOUR BEST

By V. H. Austin.

LOOK TO THE MAIN CHANCE.

If there were two banks in your town and one were twice as strong as the other chances are that your deposit would be made with the better institution. It's being twice as stropg makes your cash twice as safe.

You don't vote for one of the Presidential candidates if you think the election of the other would make times twice as good. And so on—you are constantly doing things that double your chances of getting something desirable or avoiding something objectionable. You welcome every chance for doubling opportunity.

Here's one of those chances. The management of the Contest has arranged that for every $25 a candidate turns in on subscriptions this week he or she will receive forty thousand extra votes, over and above the regular schedule.

That means that you get more than double the regular allowance of votes credit for every bit of work you do in gathering subscriptions from the friends who are looking for a chance of helping you win one of the splendid prizes.

That means that work done now is twice as valuable as work done later in the contest.

That means if you double your effort this week you will quadruple your chances of winning the automobile. Get busy.

Two offers in one. With the forty thousand extra votes we are going to give "Three Competitive Ballots," the first capital ballot is good for 100,000 votes, the second one is good for 75,000 votes, the third one is good for 50,000 votes.

HOW THEY WILL BE AWARDED.

The contestant securing and turning in on subscriptions to the Mail or Mirror the greatest amount of money will be awarded the first capital ballot good for 100,000 votes. The contestant securing and turning in on subscriptions the next largest amount of money will be awarded the second capital ballot good for 75,000 votes and the third contestant will be given a ballot good for 50,000 votes.

This offer will be known as "The Competitive Period" and will start today and end Saturday night February 26th at 10 p. m.

The special offer is between the dates of Feb. 14 to Feb. 26 inclusive. Each and every candidate turning in $25 on subscription, either new or old, will be given an extra ballot good for 40,000 votes and all money will count on the "Three Competitive Ballots." The First Ballot is good for 100,000 votes, the second one is good for 75,000 votes and the third will be good for 50,000 votes. These ballots will be given over and above the regular scale.

NEW SUBSCRIBERS.

Don't forget that during the remaining days of the contest that double votes will be issued on all new subscribers. One of the principal objects of this contest is to increase our subscription list and these double votes arebeing issued for that purpose. Get busy and hustle for new business. A new subscriber is any person who at the present time is not on the subscription list of the Mail or Mirror, or upon the lists of any of our agents. This offer of double votes will be in force during the remaining days of the contest. But remember that old subscribers count on all special offers and the vote schedule is just what it has been previous to this.

$1,000 IN PRIZES

The First Grand Prizes in the Mail and Mirror Popularity Contest is a $500 1910 Reo Automobile Runabout.

The second grand prize is a $400.00 Boston upright piano, purchased of S. L. Woodward, McKean avenue and is on display at his store.

The District Prizes, six gold watches, Elgin or Waltham, choice of ladies' or gents,' guaranteed for 20 years. Purchased of and on display at J. W. McKean's jewelry store.

OFFICERS ELECTED BY TRADES UNION

Approved Action of Locals in Boycotting the Catalog Houses.

The Central Trades council of Charleroi, at a meeting last night elected officers for the ensuing year. Action was taken to the effect that the action previously of the various Charleroi locals to boycott the catalog houses and patronize home merchants was approved. The trades council was addressed by H. J. Conaway, a national official of the Retail Clerks Internation Protective Association.

The officers elected were: President, Freeman Johnson; vice president, Chauncy G. Collins; secretary, William H Sanders. There was no treasurer elected, and the combining of the two officers of secretary and treasurer will be taken in consideration at the next meeting.

CENTERVILLE COUPLE MARRIED IN CHARLEROI

At 9 o'clock this morning at the residence of the officiating minister, Rev. I. N. Frye, of Washington avenue, occurred the wedding of Miss Maud Ethel Yorty and Charles Ray Booth both of Centerville. The young couple left on the 9:05 train for a ten days' trip east, and upon their return will take up their residence in Centerville. The couple will be tendered a reception by Centerville friends upon their return.

LOST—Ladies' small gold watch. Initials J. K. engraved on front. Monessen V. F. D. 1906 engraved on back. Reward if returned to 244 Mail office. 153t1p

SUPREME PRESIDENT WILL VISIT CLERKS

Charleroi Local Will be Honored by Presence of Noted Union Worker.

At the meeting of the Charleroi Retail Clerks Union of Charleroi on Thursday evening, the local will be honored by a visit of the supreme president and supreme secretary-traesurer of the Retail Clerks International Protective Association, H. J. Conaway of Denver, Col. Mr. Conaway is here in the interests of the clerks and expects to spend two week in this vicinity. A local is to be organized at Brownsville, and it is likely he will assist in that.

Mr. Conaway while here ostensibly to assist the local clerks in securing what they consider better recognition from the merchants, he will also work in behalf of union labor generally. On account of the importance of the meeting Thursday evening a special invitation has been extended to the clerks by the local president, Frank B. Taylor, for all to be present

Sullivan.

Mrs. R. J. Riley of McKean avenue was notified yesterday by telegram of the death of her father, John Sullivan at Toledo, Ohio. Mr. Sullivan was 74 years of age. The funeral arrangements have not been announced. Mrs. Riley intended leaving today for Toledo.

Riile.

Josephine Riile, 1 year and 10 months old, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Riile, died this morning at 5 o'clock of pneumonia. The funeral was held this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment was in Calvary cemetery.

DEMANDS OF MINERS FLATLY REFUSED BY COAL OPERATORS

Arbitrate by Plan of the Charleroi Coal Mines.

PASSED UP TO THE STATE

Powder Question, Basis of Fight for Several Months, is Still Unsettled.

Coal operators of the Pittsburg district flatly refused the demands of the National Board of the United Mine Workers of America at a conference yesterday afternoon in Pittsburg and ended the meeting with the powder question, a bone of contention for months, still unsettled.

The international officers of the miners asked all operators in the Pittsburg district to pay the miners on a run of mine basis, or provide an increase of 5 1-2 per cent for miners working in wide rooms and 9 per cent for entry work, according to the Charleroi plan of settling the powder dispute, resulting from tests made at the mines of the Charleroi Coal works. It was also specified that miners be furnished with new explosives, recommended by State experts, at the same cost as black powder, and that when shot firers are employed they shall be paid by the coal companies.

The operators say the demands now made are in direct violation of an agreement entered into when business conditions did not warrant the price agreed upon. It is also maintained that conditions do not warrant this price.

Arrange Reception For Departing Pastor

Baptists Will Entertain for Rev. Judson H. Palmer on Thursday Evening.

The members and their friends of the First Baptist church are arranging a farewell reception for the former pastor, Rev. Judson H. Palmer to be given at the church on Thursday evening. Rev. Palmer is now located at Leechburg, but is back to make arrangemets for removing his family to that place. He left the local church at the first of this month. A short musical program will be rendered.

CONGRESSMAN IS PLEASED

Representative J. K. Tener Gets What He Hoped For on Rivers.

Yesterday the Rivers and Harbors bill passed the House precisely in the form that the committee wished to have it. Congressman J. K. Tener is well pleased with the result, and in an interviewwith the correspondent of the Pittsburg Gazette Times said: "The friends of the Ohio valley improvement, and especially those about Pittsburg and vicinity, I am sure will be satisfied and pleased with the bill. It carries not only a very large appropriation to be expended on the Ohio river during the coming fiscal year, but also the long cherished desire, namely a declaration committing the government to a continuation and completion of this great project within 12 years from this time.

"It is manifest that all this work cannot be undertaken at once; nor each of the several locks and dams contemplated be commenced at this time, yet the appropriation in the bill just passed is sufficiently large to provide all the money that can be used on the principal and most important locks and dams during the coming year, principal among which will be lock and dam No. 7, near Beaver. Since the site for this improvement has already been purchased, the engineers will without question give its construction first consideration

"Every penny necessary for the maintenance in Pittsburg harbor as well as for work in progress on the Allegheny and Monongahela rivers and for the commencement of the improvement of the Youghiogheny river to West Newton has been appropriated in the bill, I am happy to say.

"The eastern end of the State has also had every consideration and generous appropriation in the widening of the channel in the Delaware river. I want to go on record as favoring the proposed 35-foot channel and also the building of a deep and wide canal connecting Chesapeake Bay and the Delaware river."

Lenten Service Tonight.

Lenten service will be held at St. Mary's Episcopal church this evening at 7:30 p. m. Rev. W. E. Rambo of Christ church at Brownsville will preach. Rev. L. W. Shey will take Rev. Rambo's place at Brownsville this evening.

Misinformed.

The Mail in an article published recently concerning a party held by Miss Ora Kistler, at her home on Fallowfield avenue, was misinformed and a mistake was made. A few friends called to spend the evening, but it was no party.

Miss Hester Jacobs is spending the day in Pittsburg with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Taylor Foreman is spending the day in Pittsburg with friends.

Mrs. H. M. Ellsworth, Past Great Commander of the Lady Maccabees, after spending some time in Charleroi visiting friends, left this morning for her home in Corry.

Mrs. W. H. Coles has returned home from Washington, D. C., where she spent several days with Mrs. J. K. Tener.

Harry Barnhart returned from Cleveland yesterday where he had been called by the sickness of Mrs. Barnhart, who has been visiting her parents there. Mrs. Barnhart is in a hospital, where she had two operations performed for abscess of the bowels. They were successful, and she is expected to get along all right.

Thomas Kirk of Charleroi, entered a plea of guilty in court yesterday to the charge of surety of the peace preferred by Harry P. Tate. Tate averred that Kirk had threatened to kill him. Kirk denied any intention of taking Tate's life. The defendant was directed to pay the costs.

Sledding Party.

A party of Charleroi people headed by Thomas Christopher, and Leslie Woodward went in sleds to the home of V. D. Shannon in Fallowfield township, for an evening of enterainment. The evening was spent with various social diversions, of which dancing and euchre formed the principal part.

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Chicken Farming.

With the advent of the Philo system, where chickens can be raised in a porch box, or as one farmer expressed it, without mothers, feed or ground, chicken farming is becoming more or less of a fad particularly in the towns. By means of the incubator and the Philo brooder and sytem of feeding, the services of the motherly old hen is dispensed with, and "standing room only" for each chick is all the space that is needed. Any town dweller who has room for a porch box can install the Philo system of chicken raising.

Just how far this fad, for fad it is in most cases, will result in material benefit is yet to be demonstrated. With most people the investment for the paraphernalia costs more than is ever realized from it, and the most of the ventures are abandoned after a trial. This, however, does not detract from the merits of the system, and from some of these humble beginnings large poultry raising enterprises have resulted. The business, however, is like any other in that it demands the whole and undivided attention of the promoter to become profitable. In poultry raising ardous labor, business judgment and good management are the prime factors. It cannot be operated profitably as a side issue to any great extent.

A Final Tribute.

The town election held yesterday is the last that will be held in this State in February. By the change in the constitutional amendments passed last fall all municipal elections will be held in the fall hereafer. It was a fitting tribute to Charleroi that the last February election resulted in a signal Republican victory.

In municipal elections party lines are more loosely drawn than anywhere else, from the fact that local government should be a purely business proposition, and the question of ability and fitness are more important than party affiliation. However, by means of the primary election all these requirements can be recognized and brought out by the voters, so that the final election should present the best available candidates possible under the party name. When it is done the partisan spirit in the town elections can be maintained without civic injury. The advantage of this is in strengthening party lines for State and National policies, which divide the electors of this country. It is this division of opinion that stimulates political and civic interest and maintains a balance in popular government.

A Director of Posts.

In view of the postal deficiency of $17,500,000 last year, which the Postal Department at Washington charges is chiefly due to the low rates on magazines and periodicals, some of the latter are demanding the appointment of a Director of Posts. This was recommended by the joint Congressional committee of 1907. Such an officer should be non-political, whose term of service shall not be subject to political changes, and who shall conduct the workings of the Postoffice Department on a business basis. In other words, the Postoffice Department needs a business manager.

When John Wanamaker was Postmaster General he stated that if he had the department as a private business venture he could make several million dollars profit out of it each year. Mr. Wanamaker favored the parcels post system and when asked how he would proceed to install it, replied that he would first buy out the Adams and American Express companies. The inference is that it is the large express companies whose influence prevents the Government from carrying parcels cheaply for the American people and makes a deficit in the annual postal budget.

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District .....

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There seems to be no reason except common-sense business management why the Postal Department should not yield a profit instead of a deficit. It is stated that no Postmaster General can possibly grasp all the business details of the department during a single term of office, and a manager who can serve permanently is essential. The Postal Department is one institution where business and politics do not mix profitably.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Many people would almost welcome house cleaning time if warmer weather would only come.

A real holdup at Etna early yesterday resulted in the conductor and motorman of a trolley car being much scared. The burglars got about $25 and a couple of gold watches. What's the use of writing about Wild West matters when we have Wild East right here at home?

Mr. Carnegie announces that he will stand by his tariff ideas. Does anyone except Mr. Carnegie know just what his tariff ideas are?

France has sent some young fellows over here to study telephony. They send people here to learn the real practical every day matters, and we send people to France to learn how to paint and be naughty.

It must be remembered that while the postoffice records are being broken there is a reason. More people are growing up to send letters and post cards.

Some people are talking of running Roosevelt for President next time. He won't ever be elected if the trusts can prevent it.

Jeffries says he is cocksure he could go into the ring today without any training and knock the stuffing out of Johnson. Nevertheless the man who hovers around Jeffries' ranch in a week or so, will see him going through some mighty hard sunts.

Was St. Valentine a suffragette? Not on your life, but some New York women would have people so believe.

Election day was quiet in Charleroi, but all the same it was a big day in the town's history.

How does 'Squire Jenkins sound to the affable 'Squire himself and the rest of the people?

A man gets more congratulations when he is elected to office than he is generally supposed to get when he is married.

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DISTRICT NO. ONE.

District number one includes all the borough of Charleroi lying South of Fifth street.

Name	Address	Votes
Wm. Moss	424 Washington Ave.	1940
Hamilton Booth	320 Fallowfield "	1566
Miss Goldie Evans	McKean "	11919
" Florence Conaway	315 " "	2354
" Agnes Rosbottom	208 Crest "	4035
Miss Carrie Carver	219 Fallowfield Ave.	1747
Chas Schmieler	333 " "	2186

DISTRICT NO. TWO.

District number two includes all the borough of Charleroi lying between Fifth St. and Eighth St.

Harry E. Vetter	716 Washington "	26,713
Capt. Dale Jolliffe	808 Fallowfield "	17,299
C. J. Matthews	600 " "	1000
Miss Elizabeth Pardiny	604 " "	2719
Miss Margaret Brightwell	" "	1020

DISTRICT NO. THREE.

District number three, includes all the Borough of Char'eroi lying between Eighth St. and the borough line.

Miss Alma Snyder	218 Ninth St.	1693
Albert Brown, Jr.	934 " "	1165
Elsie Fiedler	833 Crest Ave	3000

DISTRICT NO. FOUR.

District number four, includes North Charleroi, Monessen and Belle Vernon.

Miss Mercedes McGinity	Monessen	1115
" Ruth Markell	"	1210
" Pearl Speers	"	1672
" Grace Reeder	"	1010
" Mary Jackson	North Charleroi	1155
Mrs. Meiser	Monessen	1190
Alfred Higginbotham	North Charleroi	1243
Robert McGowan	" "	1000
John Metz	" "	1000
R. G. Staley	" "	1090
John Stober	" "	1030
E. A. Jordan	Belle Vernon	1345

DISTRICT. NO. FIVE.

District number five includes, Speers, Dunlevy, Vesta, Allenport, Fayette City, Stockdale, Roscoe, Elco, Coal Center and California.

" Elsie Pyle	Coal Center	5944
" Elsie Richards	" "	1035
" May Peach	Roscoe	1130
J. Klein	"	1340
Charles Fox	R.D.4, Coal Center	1075
Ray Williams	Coal Center	1000
Dr. Frantz	" "	1210
Miss Clara Snead	Speers	1000
Pearl Smith	"	1000
Leola Frye	R. F. D. 1. Speers	1000
S. V. Hughes	" "	1000
William E. Hart	California	1220
Ben Usher	Fayette City	1000
Ray Hetherington	" "	1000
McKee Middleton	" "	1000
Miss Jennie Hicks	" "	1135
" M. McCleary	Allenport	1000
" Laura Ghrist	"	1190
" Annie Miller	"	1000
" Hattie Long	"	1000
George Collins	Elco	3421
M. Dooley	Dunlevy	1460
C. K. Chalfant	Speers	1200
William Kuhn	"	1100
Boyd Montgomery	"	1170
Miss Easter	California	1630
James Hall	Dunlevy	10,514

DISTRICT NO. SIX.

Includes Donora, Monongahela and Bentleyville.

Miss Erma Volker	Monongahela	1125
" Maud Strathamj	"	1105
" Bessie Webb	"	1105
" Ela Baker	Bentleyville	1216

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The lady with her church subscription list.
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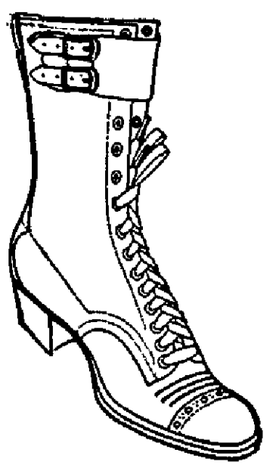

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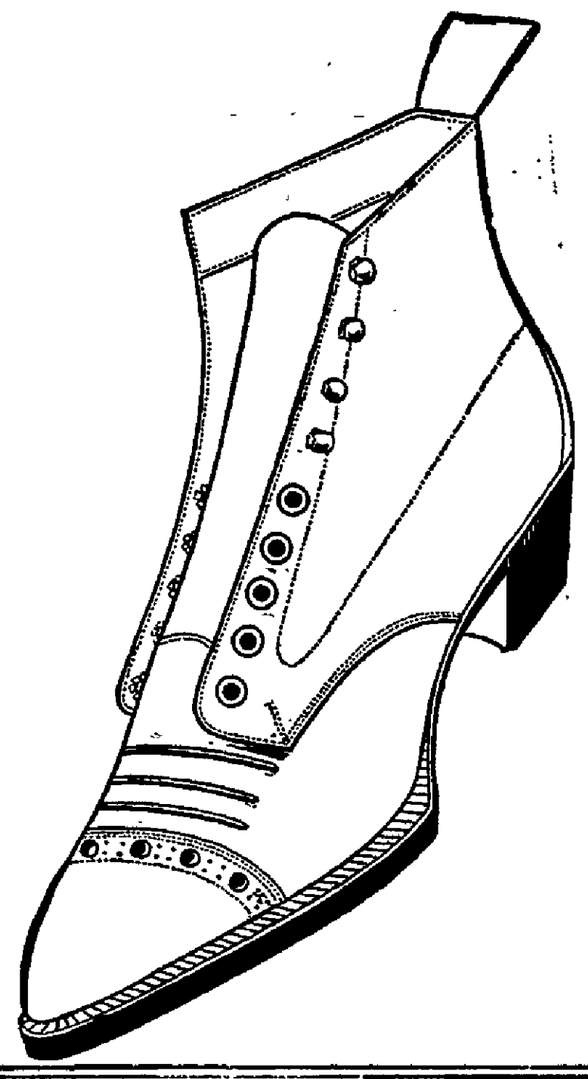

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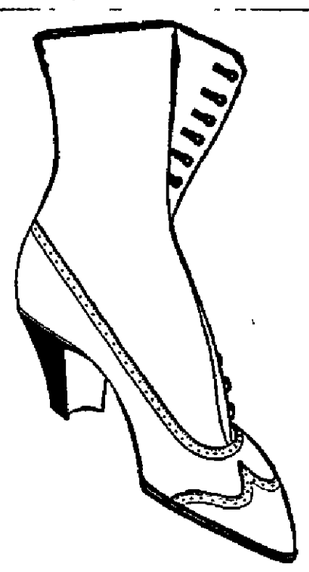

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No extra papers will be printed for sale of coupons contained therein.

If you have any complaints to make, kindly make them to the Contest Editor. We want everybody satisfied.

Above all, pay no attention to rumors. They are usually circulated by your competitors, or their friends, for the purpose of discouraging you.

Once entered, do not drop out. What if someone should be a few votes ahead today? You put some sand on the track and pass them tomorrow.

If you belong to an organization let your fellow members know you are in the race. It pays to advertise.

Don't knock the other candidate. Remember the "Golden Rule."

Don't forget that the children can do the most effective work in collecting coupons. Every little bit helps.

Should your father, brother or friends belong to any organizations, get them to work for you.

Do not let the day pass without casting a ballot. Success is the reward of persistency.

Enlist the interest of your friends and friends' friends.

If you have friends in other cities, write them a letter. Tell them the value of the prize you are working for.

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Call on the contest editor and get acquainted.

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Several of the districts afford an excellent opening for new and active candidates. With this special inducement it will be an easy matter to attain the leadership in your district. Just look over the vote schedule and see how easy you can overtake the leader in any or the districts.

It is imperative that every one work hard now, for if you don't you not only lose the votes, but your opponent gains, placing them at quite an advantage over you when the final counting is made on March 26.

Candidates residing outside of the city of Charleroi will have the privilege of mailing their orders up to the closing hour and all letters containing subscriptions bearing the postmark of Feb. 26 will count on "opportunity offer."

This is a "Grand Opportunity Time"--Get Busy

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Editor Charleroi Mail: Permit us a few words in reference to the death claim of John Watkinson in the Knights of the Maccabees of the World. Some talk and censure has been going around about the order being slow in payments. In a claim like it there is always more or less delay, but as soon as they are satisfied with facts concerning it, the claim is paid promptly. In the death of a suicide the law for the order, Section 396—Revised 1904 says the beneficiary shall receive twice the amount paid to the Life Benefit Fund. Being informed of the needs in his case they granted a donation of $360.00 from the relief fund, which was a kindly and considerate thing for them to do. This in addition to the legal amount to which the beneficiary is entitled, making a total of $1,000.

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Men's Fleeced Underwear, 50c grade for.....39c
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LOST—An open faced gold watch, initials R. H. S. on back. Reward of $5.00 if returned to 200 this office. 153t2p

LOCAL NOTES

Brief Mention of People and Events in this Community.

Clarence Velettay has returned to Rochester after a visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Velettay.

Grover Teagarden, who traveled with a Metroplitan theatrical stock company for some months, is home to spend some time.

Philip Hileman of California, a former employe of the Mail, was in Charleroi yesterday, and called on friends at this office.

Chief of Police C. W. Albright, William Darby and Alva Osborne are in Washington today as witnesses on the arson case against Mrs. Susie Smith of Charleroi.

J. D. Berryman and W. H. Atkins have gone to New York city, where they will spend some time on business, preparing to equip a new department of Berryman's Department store with

NEW DEPARTMENT BEING INSTALLED

Men's Clothing Will be Sold at J. W. Berryman & Son's Store.

J. W. Berryman and Son are about to add to their already large and well selected stock a clothing department. This department has been asked for so strongly by the patrons of this big department store that it is deemed unwise to longer delay its addition.

In the clothing end of the business the firm states they will follow out the same winning principle to the very best quality of merchandise and sell at a figure that will be within reach of all or in other words, quality at the lowest figure. W. H. Atkins will have charge of his department, and as Mr. Atkins is too well known here to need any introduction it goes without saying the department will be well managed. Mr. Atkins has had an extensive experience, having served six years with the well known Landefeld Clothing company of Monongahela and also as partner in the Charleroi clothing concern known as Campbell and Atkins.

Mr. Berryman and Mr. Atkins are going east to complete the purchases for the new department. The room which the men's furnishing department has always occupied will be thoroughly over-hauled and remodeled, and fixtures of the most up-to-date and modern make will be installed.

The Welsh Improved Clothing Cabinets will serve to show and protect the clothing and an electrically lighted alcove will be part of the new fixtures. Modern clothing front windows will be put in just as soon as the weather moderates sufficiently to start the work and on completion will make this an ideal up-to-date department.

The stock will embrace everything in men's and boy's clothing, hats and men's furnishings.

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When thousands of women say that they have been cured of their ailments by a certain remedy, does this not prove the merit of that remedy?

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Can any woman let prejudice stand between her and that which will restore her health? If you believe those who have tried it you know this medicine *does* cure.

Read this letter from a grateful woman, then make up your mind to give Mrs. Pinkham's medicine a chance to cure you.

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Mrs. Pinkham invites all sick women to write her for advice. She has guided thousands to health free of charge. Address Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass.

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It's the time when shoe money does double duty. The prices we quote during these Great Clearance Sales always draw like a mustard plaster.

MEN'S AND LADIES' FOOTWEAR

$6.00 men's shoes now	$4.48
5.50 and $5.00 men's shoes now	3.98
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2.00 men's or ladies' shoes now	1.48

RUBBER FOOTWEAR

Men's rubbers	58c
Ladies' rubbers	39c
Misses' rubbers	36c
Children's rubbers	33c

BOYS' AND GIRLS'

$2.50 misses's shoes now	$1.98
2.00 misses' shoes now	1.48
1.50 misses' shoes now	.98
3.50 boys' shoes now	2.98
3.00 boys' shoes now	2.48
2.50 boys' shoes now	1.98
2.00 boys' shoes now	1.48

BIG BARGAINS IN WARM LINED GOODS

$1.50 ladies' shoes	98c
2.00 ladies' shoes	$1.21
1.50 ladies' Juliets	69c
.75 ladies' slippers	39c
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WANTED—Lady canvassers. J. D. Snitzer and Co., 541 Fallowfield avenue. 151tf

FOR SALE—3 sets extra good hand made work harness. Inquire Higgins. 109 McKean avenue. 153t2

WANTED—Boy, with good reference for furniture store. Apply Southern Furniture Store 412, Fallowfield avenue. 153t3

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DEFEATED CANDIDATE MAY FIGHT JUSTICE ELECTION

Thinks Ballot Box Opened With Shovel Remained Open all Day.

ELECTION JUDGE'S DENIAL

Says That Staples Were Driven in Again After they Had Been Withdrawn.

Claiming that the ballot box of the third precinct was open all day on election day Robert P. Fitzgerald, the Democratic candidate for justice of the peace who was defeated by 27 votes by the Republican candidate, John Jenkins, expects to go to Washington Friday to enter proceedings to contest the election, and try to have the third precinct votes all thrown out. Mr. Fitzgerald claims he has sufficient evidence to prove that the ballot box remained open all day. Fraud is not charged. Mr. Fitzgerald said this morning:

"I have evidence to show that upon the opening of the polls Tuesday morning, Constable George Stablein from lack of the key to the box tore off the hinge with a shovel. The old ballots were taken out, but the box was not again locked, and remained open all day. Constable Stablein had no right to open the box in that manner, and it is upon this action that I intend to contest the election. He should have come to the second precinct and secured the key with which to open the box."

Mr Fitzgerald stated that he expected to engage Attorney William Parker of Washigton in his fight. He said that he had been advised by Assistant District Attorney T. H. W. Fergus to begin proceedings at once.

Joseph Haube, the judge of the third precinct, in an interview stated positively this morning that the ballot box had not been left open all day and said:

"The box was brought from Justice of the Peace Rice's residence on Tuesday morning shortly before time to open the polls. It was discovered that the key was missing, and because of the little time left, Constable Stablein procuring a shovel pried out the staples on the hinge. The old ballots were taken out and burned, and the staples were pounded in again as previously. The box remained tightly closed all day long, and furthermore was in plain sight of all voters. The box was opened in the same way at night, to count the votes."

The inspectors of the third precinct are Robert M. Wood and Andrew Chacko and the clerks were J. K. Brumbaugh, and Louis Heffran.

Notice to Our Trade.

According to our court's ruling, we have discontinued solicitors. All persons wishing beer, will call at the Charleroi Brewery and leave their order, which will be promptly delivered to the homes.

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Page-Haney.

Miss Christina Page of Stockdale, and William Haney of Coal Centre, were married at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon by Rev. J. T. Hackett of the First Presbyterian church, at his residence. The couple left on the next train for Pittsburg and other points on a wedding trip. They will likely make their home in Coal Centre.

Teachers Will Hold Institute at Rodgers.

County Superintendent L. R. Crumrine will be Present and make Address.

Arrangements are being made for the holding of a teacher's institute at Rodgers school house in Fallowfield township on next Friday evening, February 25. The teacher, Miss Rosetta Rodgers, has affairs in charge, and is working to prepare a good program. One feature of the institute will be an address by County Superintendent L. R. Crumrine.

WORKERS TO HOLD CONVENTION HERE

Group Meeting of Women's Foreign Missionary Society Next Wednesday.

A district convention of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal church, will be held at the Charleroi Methodist church next Wednesday afternoon and evening, the convention to be in charge of the local society. There will be several good speakers present, the most important address to be made by Mrs. Brewster, a missionary to China. Another address will be made by Mrs. Vankirk of Pittsburg. The meetings will be presided over by Mrs. L. M. Baker, of McDonald, district secretary of the society.

The convention will be a group convention, in which 15 churches of thi-neighborhood, including those from Brownsville to Homestead and adjacent territory to Charleroi, will participate. Members of other churches in Charleroi will be invited, and it is expected that the affair will be one of the biggest conventions of the kind held in Charleroi for some time.

Special music will be furnished at both the afternoon and evening sessions, in the evening the ladies' double quartet of the local church to have charge. The afternoon session will be at 2:30 o'clock and the evening at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. A. M. Doak is the president of the local society; Miss Stella Glunt, recording secretary; Mrs. H. L. Booth, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. W. S. James, treasurer.

Beer Agent Arrested.

Charged with selling beer from a wagon James Buano, an agent and his drivers, James Collins and David Forrin, were arrested at Marianna and held for court.

Mrs. W. H. Jones of Tenth street has returned from the Mercy Hosptial, Pittsburg where she took treatment.

NOTICE

All members of the Charleroi Clerks' Union are requested to attend the regular meeting on Thursday evening, February 17, in the Trust Company Hall, at 8:30. Supreme President H. J. Conway will be present.

FRANK B. TAYLOR,
2t President.

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REPUBLICANS GAIN STRAIGHT OUT VICTORY IN CHARLEROI

John Jenkins Pulls Out Ahead of R. P. Fitzgerald for Justice.

FURLONG LEADS TICKET

Dr. A. O. Davis for Council a Close Second—Walgreen and Nealon School Directors.

For the first time for years a straight Republican ticket was elected in the various borough offices in this place yesterday. The Democrats did not get a single man in office, something that is rather unusual. There was a tight contest for justice of the peace in which John Jenkins, the Republican nominee, pulled out ahead over R. P. Fitzgerald, his Democratic opponent, by a plurailty of 27 votes. Fitzgerald unexpectedly carried well in the first precinct, which was considered Jenkins' stronghold, beating out his Republican opponent by 42 votes. Jenkins overcame this lead in the second and third precincts, however.

Furlong, one of the Republican nominees for council, lead the ticket, having a total of 506 votes. The second highest was Dr. Alden O. Davis for council with 459 votes, and Charles Walgreen for school director was third with 408 votes.

Nearly 700 votes were cast, about half of the qualified voters turning out. The friends of each candidate worked hard the entire day, realizing that there was a warm conetst before them. From early in the morning it was evident that the fight would be nip and tuck between Jenkins and Fitzgerald for justice, and workers for both were busy all day long.

Those elected to the various offices as noted in the tabulated returns given below, are indicated by a star:

COUNCIL	1st	2nd	3rd	Total
*Furlong, R.	233	148	125	506
*Davis, R.	223	125	111	459
Lambert, D.	67	42	19	128
Richey, D.	91	38	20	149
Mahieu, S.	8	3	6	17
Neslerode, S.	7	2	3	12
SCHOOL DIRECTOR				
*Walgreen, R.	211	106	91	408
*Nealon, R.	131	80	76	287
Cooper, D.	129	71	38	238
Patton, D.	134	79	59	272
Schwartz, S.	8	4	4	16
Smith, S.	10	5	2	17
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE				
*Jenkins, R.	116	98	79	293
Fizgerald, D.	158	59	49	266
Bozau, S.	4	2	0	6
Foss, C.	5	0	0	5
Collins, I-C.	54	30	27	111
ASSESSOR				
*Dawson, R.	153	90	79	322
Mansfield, D.	149	84	52	285
AUDITOR				
*Albright, R.	197	119	95	411
Jobes, D.	149	49	34	232

Judge of Election—First Precinct—*Nelson, R, 239; Campbell, D. 61; Second Precinct—*Hill, R, 136; Estenfelder, 40; Third Precinct—*Pardoe, R, 110; Rodgers, D, 1.

Inspector of Election—First Precinct—*Reeves, R. 235; Jobes, D, 61; Second Precinct-*Assenet, R, 98; Laird, D, 75; Third Precinct—*Mahoney, R. 91, Woods, D., 43.

Assistant Assessor—First Precinct—*Clarke, R, 180; Franks, D, 117; Second Precinct—*Nutt. R, 131: Pieper, D, 38; Third Precinct—*Acker, R., 101; Sauters, D., 29.

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Well Known Lover Woman Dies at Home

Mrs. A. B. Waller Succumbs After Illness of Several Weeks.

Mrs. Sarah Waller, aged 55 years, wife of A. B. Waller, died at her home near Lover yesterday morning at 9:40 o'clock after an illness of several weeks' duration. Mrs. Waller's maiden name was Thompson, she being a daughter of the late Leonard Thompson. She was born near Coal Centre and had resided in this vicinity her entire life. She was a member of the Maple Creek Christian church. Beside the husband one daughter, Miss Bertie, survive. Funeral services will be held Thursday at 12 o'clock. Interment will be in the Maple Creek cemetery.

REPUBLICAN ALL-BUT ONE

North Charleroi Elects Democrat to Position of Assessor.

Unlike Charleroi, the borough of North Charleroi was not carried entirely by the Republicans at the spring election yesterday, and one Democrat won a place, Samuel Gaskill, over Irving Rockwell for assessor. For Judge of election J. A. Springer and S. W. Sharpneck tied, Mr. Springer on the Republican and Mr. Sharpneck on the Democratic ticket. Three Prohibition votes for Mr. Springer carried the day for him, however, and he is elected. The returns are as follows:

Justice of the Peace—Culbertson, R. 70; Cooper, D. 32; Roup, Pro. 4.

Council—Cook, R. 53 Schaffer, R. 47; Linn, D. 31; Myers D. 27; B. Nutt, Pro. 34; Myers, Pro. 4.

School Director—Horn, R. 74; Kibler, R. 54; Kibler, Pro., 3; Caseber, D. 40; Craft, D., 21; Stober, Pro., 6.

Assessor—Rockwell, R. 31; Gaskill, D. 53, Carson, Pro., 12.

Auditor—Williams, R., 51: Bane, D., 37; Hornbake, Pro. 11.

Judge of Election—Springer, R., 50; Sharpneck, D., 50; Springer, Pro. 3.

Inspector—Henderson, R. 48; Scott, D. 45, Meyers, Pro. 14.

To the Public

The barber shop of G. A. Martucci is run as an independent shop, with prics for shaving the same as in the past. No additional price for shaving will be charged.

G. A. Martucci,
621 Fallowfield avenue. F-28

NOTICE

All members of the Charleroi Clerks' Union are requested to attend the regular meeting on Thursday evening, February 17, in the Trust Company Hall, at 8:30. Supreme President H. J. Conway will be present.

FRANK B. TAYLOR,
2t President.

QUADRUPLE YOUR CHANCES TO FINISH IN THE LEAD

Work When the Work Counts Double in the Great Contest and Results are Four Times Greater

REMEMBER PRIZE LIST AND DO YOUR BEST

By V. H. Austin.

LOOK TO THE MAIN CHANCE.

If there were two banks in your town and one were twice as strong as the other chances are that your deposit would be made with the better institution. It's being twice as stropg makes your cash twice as safe.

You don't vote for one of the Presidential candidates if you think the election of the other would make times twice as good. And so on—you are constantly doing things that double your chances of getting something desirable or avoiding something objectionable. You welcome every chance for doubling opportunity.

Here's one of those chances. The management of the Contest has arranged that for every $25 a candidate turns in on subscriptions this week he or she will receive forty thousand extra votes, over and above the regular schedule.

That means that you get more than double the regular allowance of votes credit for every bit of work you do in gathering subscriptions from the friends who are looking for a chance of helping you win one of the splendid prizes.

That means that work done now is twice as valuable as work done later in the contest.

That means if you double your effort this week you will quadruple your chances of winning the automobile. Get busy.

Two offers in one. With the forty thousand extra votes we are going to give "Three Competitive Ballots," the first capital ballot is good for 100,000 votes, the second one is good for 75,000 votes, the third one is good for 50,000 votes.

HOW THEY WILL BE AWARDED.

The contestant securing and turning in on subscriptions to the Mail or Mirror the greatest amount of money will be awarded the first capital ballot good for 100,000 votes. The contestant securing and turning in on subscriptions the next largest amount of money will be awarded the second capital ballot good for 75,000 votes and the third contestant will be given a ballot good for 50,000 votes.

This offer will be known as "The Competitive Period" and will start today and end Saturday night February 26th at 10 p. m.

The special offer is between the dates of Feb. 14 to Feb. 26 inclusive. Each and every candidate turning in $25 on subscription, either new or old, will be given an extra ballot good for 40,000 votes and all money will count on the "Three Competitive Ballots." The First Ballot is good for 100,000 votes, the second one is good for 75,000 votes and the third will be good for 50,000 votes. These ballots will be given over and above the regular scale.

NEW SUBSCRIBERS.

Don't forget that during the remaining days of the contest that double votes will be issued on all new subscribers. One of the principal objects of this contest is to increase our subscription list and these double votes arebeing issued for that purpose. Get busy and hustle for new business. A new subscriber is any person who at the present time is not on the subscription list of the Mail or Mirror, or upon the lists of any of our agents. This offer of double votes will be in force during the remaining days of the contest. But remember that old subscribers count on all special offers and the vote schedule is just what it has been previous to this.

$1,000 IN PRIZES

The First Grand Prizes in the Mail and Mirror Popularity Contest is a $500 1910 Reo Automobile Runabout.

The second grand prize is a $400.00 Boston upright piano, purchased of S. L. Woodward, McKean avenue and is on display at his store.

The District Prizes, six gold watches, Elgin or Waltham, choice of ladies' or gents,' guaranteed for 20 years. Purchased of and on display at J. W. McKean's jewelry store.

OFFICERS ELECTED BY TRADES UNION

Approved Action of Locals in Boycotting the Catalog Houses.

The Central Trades council of Charleroi, at a meeting last night elected officers for the ensuing year. Action was taken to the effect that the action previously of the various Charleroi locals to boycott the catalog houses and patronize home merchants was approved. The trades council was addressed by H. J. Conaway, a national official of the Retail Clerks Internation Protective Association.

The officers elected were: President, Freeman Johnson; vice president, Chauncy G. Collins; secretary, William H Sanders. There was no treasurer elected, and the combining of the two officers of secretary and treasurer will be taken in consideration at the next meeting.

CENTERVILLE COUPLE MARRIED IN CHARLEROI

At 9 o'clock this morning at the residence of the officiating minister, Rev. I. N. Frye, of Washington avenue, occurred the wedding of Miss Maud Ethel Yorty and Charles Ray Booth both of Centerville. The young couple left on the 9:05 train for a ten days' trip east, and upon their return will take up their residence in Centerville. The couple will be tendered a reception by Centerville friends upon their return.

LOST—Ladies' small gold watch. Initials J. K. engraved on front. Monessen V. F. D. 1906 engraved on back. Reward if returned to 244 Mail office. 153t1p

SUPREME PRESIDENT WILL VISIT CLERKS

Charleroi Local Will be Honored by Presence of Noted Union Worker.

At the meeting of the Charleroi Retail Clerks Union of Charleroi on Thursday evening, the local will be honored by a visit of the supreme president and supreme secretary-traesurer of the Retail Clerks International Protective Association, H. J. Conaway of Denver, Col. Mr. Conaway is here in the interests of the clerks and expects to spend two week in this vicinity. A local is to be organized at Brownsville, and it is likely he will assist in that.

Mr. Conaway while here ostensibly to assist the local clerks in securing what they consider better recognition from the merchants, he will also work in behalf of union labor generally. On account of the importance of the meeting Thursday evening a special invitation has been extended to the clerks by the local president, Frank B. Taylor, for all to be present

Sullivan.

Mrs. R. J. Riley of McKean avenue was notified yesterday by telegram of the death of her father, John Sullivan at Toledo, Ohio. Mr. Sullivan was 74 years of age. The funeral arrangements have not been announced. Mrs. Riley intended leaving today for Toledo.

Riile.

Josephine Riile, 1 year and 10 months old, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Riile, died this morning at 5 o'clock of pneumonia. The funeral was held this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment was in Calvary cemetery.

DEMANDS OF MINERS FLATLY REFUSED BY COAL OPERATORS

Arrange Reception For Departing Pastor

Baptists Will Entertain for Rev. Judson H. Palmer on Thursday Evening.

The members and their friends of the First Baptist church are arranging a farewell reception for the former pastor, Rev. Judson H. Palmer to be given at the church on Thursday evening. Rev. Palmer is now located at Leechburg, but is back to make arrangemets for removing his family to that place. He left the local church at the first of this month. A short musical program will be rendered.

CONGRESSMAN IS PLEASED

Representative J. K. Tener Gets What He Hoped For on Rivers.

Yesterday the Rivers and Harbors bill passed the House precisely in the form that the committee wished to have it. Congressman J. K. Tener is well pleased with the result, and in an interviewwith the correspondent of the Pittsburg Gazette Times said: "The friends of the Ohio valley improvement, and especially those about Pittsburg and vicinity, I am sure will be satisfied and pleased with the bill. It carries not only a very large appropriation to be expended on the Ohio river during the coming fiscal year, but also the long cherished desire, namely a declaration committing the government to a continuation and completion of this great project within 12 years from this time.

"It is manifest that all this work cannot be undertaken at once; nor each of the several locks and dams contemplated be commenced at this time, yet the appropriation in the bill just passed is sufficiently large to provide all the money that can be used on the principal and most important locks and dams during the coming year, principal among which will be lock and dam No. 7, near Beaver. Since the site for this improvement has already been purchased. the engineers will without question give its construction first consideration

"Every penny necessary for the maintenance in Pittsburg harbor as well as for work in progress on the Allegheny and Monongahela rivers and for the commencement of the improvement of the Youghiogheny river to West Newton has been appropriated in the bill, I am happy to say.

"The eastern end of the State has also had every consideration and generous appropriation in the widening of the channel in the Delaware river. I want to go on record as favoring the proposed 35-foot channel and also the building of a deep and wide canal connecting Chesapeake Bay and the Delaware river."

Sledding Party.

A party of Charleroi people headed by Thomas Christopher, and Leslie Woodward went in sleds to the home of V. D. Shannon in Fallowfield township, for an evening of enterainment. The evening was spent with various social diversions, of which dancing and euchre formed the principal part.

Arbitrate by Plan of the Charleroi Coal Mines.

PASSED UP TO THE STATE

Powder Question, Basis of Fight for Several Months, is Still Unsettled.

Coal operators of the Pittsburg district flatly refused the demands of the National Board of the United Mine Workers of America at a conference yesterday afternoon in Pittsburg and ended the meeting with the powder question, a bone of contention for months, still unsettled.

The international officers of the miners asked all operators in the Pittsburg district to pay the miners on a run of mine basis, or provide an increase of 5 1-2 per cent for miners working in wide rooms and 9 per cent for entry work, according to the Charleroi plan of settling the powder dispute, resulting from tests made at the mines of the Charleroi Coal works. It was also specified that miners be furnished with new explosives, recommended by State experts, at the same cost as black powder, and that when shot firers are employed they shall be paid by the coal companies.

The operators say the demands now made are in direct violation of an agreement entered into when business conditions did not warrant the price agreed upon. It is also maintained that conditions do not warrant this price.

Lenten Service Tonight.

Lenten service will be held at St. Mary's Episcopal church this evening at 7:30 p. m. Rev. W. E. Rambo of Christ church at Brownsville will preach. Rev. L. W. Shey will take Rev. Rambo's place at Brownsville this evening.

Misinformed.

The Mail in an article published recently concerning a party held by Miss Ora Kistler, at her home on Fallowfield avenue, was misinformed and a mistake was made. A few friends called to spend the evening, but it was no party.

Miss Hester Jacobs is spending the day in Pittsburg with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Taylor Foreman is spending the day in Pittsburg with friends.

Mrs. H. M. Ellsworth, Past Great Commander of the Lady Maccabees, after spending some time in Charleroi visiting friends, left this morning for her home in Corry.

Mrs. W. H. Coles has returned home from Washington, D. C., where she spent several days with Mrs. J. K. Tener.

Harry Barnhart returned from Cleveland yesterday where he had been called by the sickness of Mrs. Barnhart, who has been visiting her parents there. Mrs. Barnhart is in a hospital, where she had two operations performed for abscess of the bowels. They were successful, and she is expected to get along all right.

Thomas Kirk of Charleroi, entered a plea of guilty in court yesterday to the charge of surety of the peace preferred by Harry P. Tate. Tate averred that Kirk had threatened to kill him. Kirk denied any intention of taking Tate's life. The defendant was directed to pay the costs.

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

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Chicken Farming.

With the advent of the Philo system, where chickens can be raised in a porch box, or as one farmer expressed it, without mothers, feed or ground, chicken farming is becoming more or less of a fad particularly in the towns. By means of the incubator and the Philo brooder and sytem of feeding, the services of the motherly old hen is dispensed with, and "standing room only" for each chick is all the space that is needed. Any town dweller who has room for a porch box can install the Philo system of chicken raising.

Just how far this fad, for fad it is in most cases, will result in material benefit is yet to be demonstrated. With most people the investment for the paraphernalia costs more than is ever realized from it, and the most of the ventures are abandoned after a trial. This, however, does not detract from the merits of the system, and from some of these humble beginnings large poultry raising enterprises have resulted. The business, however, is like any other in that it demands the whole and undivided attention of the promoter to become profitable. In poultry raising ardous labor, business judgment and good management are the prime factors. It cannot be operated profitably as a side issue to any great extent.

A Final Tribute.

The town election held yesterday is the last that will be held in this State in February. By the change in the constitutional amendments passed last fall all municipal elections will be held in the fall hereafer. It was a fitting tribute to Charleroi that the last February election resulted in a signal Republican victory.

In municipal elections party lines are more loosely drawn than anywhere else, from the fact that local government should be a purely business proposition, and the question of ability and fitness are more important than party affiliation. However, by means of the primary election all these requirements can be recognized and brought out by the voters, so that the final election should present the best available candidates possible under the party name. When it is done the partisan spirit in the town elections can be maintained without civic injury. The advantage of this is in strengthening party lines for State and National policies, which divide the electors of this country. It is this division of opinion that stimulates political and civic interest and maintains a balance in popular government.

A Director of Posts.

In view of the postal deficiency of $17,500,000 last year, which the Postal Department at Washington charges is chiefly due to the low rates on magazines and periodicals, some of the latter are demanding the appointment of a Director of Posts. This was recommended by the joint Congressional committee of 1907. Such an officer should be non-political, whose term of service shall not be subject to political changes, and who shall conduct the workings of the Postoffice Department on a business basis. In other words, the Postoffice Department needs a business manager.

When John Wanamaker was Postmaster General he stated that if he had the department as a private business venture he could make several million dollars profit out of it each year. Mr. Wanamaker favored the parcels post system and when asked how he would proceed to install it, replied that he would first buy out the Adams and American Express companies. The inference is that it is the large express companies whose influence prevents the Government from carrying parcels cheaply for the American people and makes a deficit in the annual postal budget.

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Address.....

District .....

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There seems to be no reason except common-sense business management why the Postal Department should not yield a profit instead of a deficit. It is stated that no Postmaster General can possibly grasp all the business details of the department during a single term of office, and a manager who can serve permanently is essential. The Postal Department is one institution where business and politics do not mix profitably.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Many people would almost welcome house cleaning time if warmer weather would only come.

A real holdup at Etna early yesterday resulted in the conductor and motorman of a trolley car being much scared. The burglars got about $25 and a couple of gold watches. What's the use of writing about Wild West matters when we have Wild East right here at home?

Mr. Carnegie announces that he will stand by his tariff ideas. Does anyone except Mr. Carnegie know just what his tariff ideas are?

France has sent some young fellows over here to study telephony. They send people here to learn the real practical every day matters, and we send people to France to learn how to paint and be naughty.

It must be remembered that while the postoffice records are being broken there is a reason. More people are growing up to send letters and post cards.

Some people are talking of running Roosevelt for President next time. He won't ever be elected if the trusts can prevent it.

Jeffries says he is cocksure he could go into the ring today without any training and knock the stuffing out of Johnson. Nevertheless the man who hovers around Jeffries' ranch in a week or so, will see him going through some mighty hard suits.

Was St. Valentine a suffragette? Not on your life, but some New York women would have people so believe.

Election day was quiet in Charleroi, but all the same it was a big day in the town's history.

How does 'Squire Jenkins sound to the affable 'Squire himself and the rest of the people?

A man gets more congratulations when he is elected to office than he is generally supposed to get when he is married.

Speaking of congratulations, it sort of makes a fellow feel hypocritical when he congratulates another upon his marriage, when he feels that he ought to offer sympathy instead.

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Standing of Contestants as Counted Yesterday.

DISTRICT NO. ONE.

District number one includes all the borough of Charleroi lying South of Fifth street.

Name	Address	Votes
Wm Moss	424 Washington Ave.	1940
Hamilton Booth	320 Fallowfield "	1566
Miss Goldie Evans	McKean "	11919
" Florence Conaway	315 " "	2354
" Agnes Rosbottom	208 Crest "	4035
Miss Carrie Carver	219 Fallowfield Ave.	1747
Chas Schmieler	333 " "	2186

DISTRICT NO. TWO

District number two includes all the borough of Charleroi lying between Fifth St. and Eighth St

Harry L. Vetter	710 Washington "	26,713
Capt. Dale Jolliffe	608 Fallowfield "	17,299
C J. Matthews	600 " "	1000
Miss Elizabeth Pardiny	604 " "	2719
Miss Margaret Brightwell	" "	1020

DISTRICT NO THREE.

District number three, includes all the Borough of Charleroi lying between Eighth St. and the borough line.

Miss Alma Snyder	218 Ninth St.	1693
Albert Brown, Jr.	934 " "	1165
Elsie Fiedler	333 Crest Ave	3000

DISTRICT NO. FOUR.

District number four, includes North Charleroi, Monessen and Belle Vernon.

Miss Mercedes McGinity	Monessen	1115
" Ruth Markell	"	1210
" Pearl Speers	"	1672
" Grace Reeder	"	1010
" Mary Jackson	North Charleroi	1155
Mrs Meiser	Monessen	1190
Alfred Higginbotham	North Charleroi	1243
Robert McGowan	" "	1000
John Metz	" "	1000
R. G. Staley	" "	1090
John Stober	" "	1030
E A Jordan	Belle Vernon	1345

DISTRICT NO. FIVE

District number five includes Speers, Dunlevy, Vesta, Allenport, Fayette City, Stockdale, Roscoe, Elco, Coal Center and California

" Elsie Pyle	Coal Center	5944
" Elsie Richards	" "	1035
" May Peach	Roscoe	1130
J. Klein	"	1340
Charles Fox	R.D.4, Coal Center	1075
Ray Williams	Coal Center	1000
Dr. Frantz	" "	1210
Miss Clara Snead	Speers	1000
Pearl Smith	"	1000
Leola Frye	R F D 1, Speers	1000
S. V Hughes	" "	1000
William E. Hart	California	1220
Ben Usher	Fayette City	1000
Ray Hetherington	" "	1000
McKee Middleton	" "	1000
Miss Jennie Hicks	" "	1135
" M McCleary	Allenport	1000
" Laura Ghrist	"	1190
" Annie Miller	"	1000
" Hattie Long	"	1000
George Collins	Elco	3421
M Dooley	Dunlevy	1460
C. K Chaliant	Speers	1200
William Kuhn	"	1100
Boyd Montgomery	"	1170
Miss Easter	California	1630
James Hall	Dunlevy	10,514

DISTRICT NO. SIX.

Includes Donora, Monongahela and Bentleyville

Miss Erma Volker	Monongahela	1125
" Maud Stratham	"	1105
" Bessie Webb	"	1105
" Ella Baker	Bentleyville	1216

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I Nominate.....

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District No. .....

Phone .....

Signed .....

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The small boy with his small change.
The lady with her pin money—savings.
The small man with his small roll.
The big man with his big roll.
The big man who applies for a big loan.
The small man who applies for a small loan.
The lady with her church subscription list
The small boy with school entertainment tickets
The child with society entertainment tickets.
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He issued orders to cut down the amount of meat and to increase greatly the quantity of Quaker Oats fed to the men.

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Do you need Dress Shoes? Why not save a dollar? Look at this cut, $3.50, $4 and $5 shoes, best makes in winter weights, bargain price

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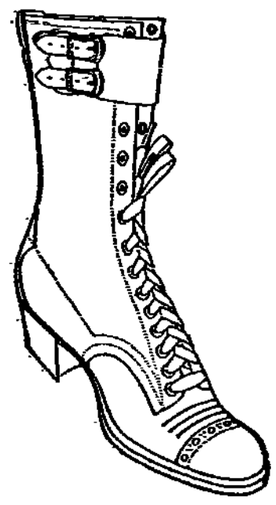
LADIES' HIGH CUTS



Regular 9-in. top, in dull and tan, just like cut, regular $3.50 and $4 values, bargain price $1.98

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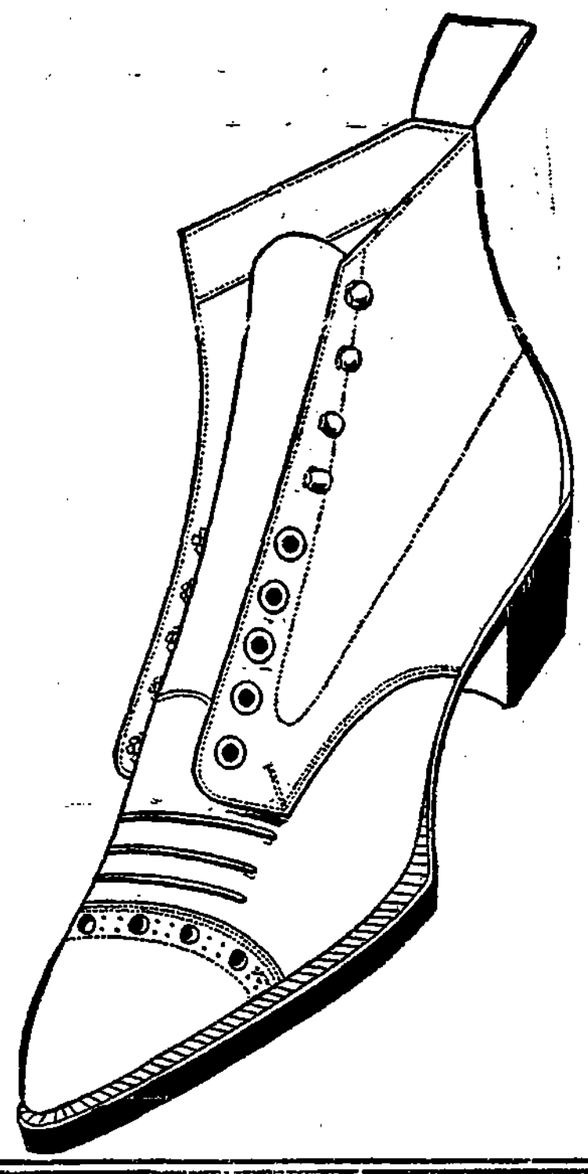

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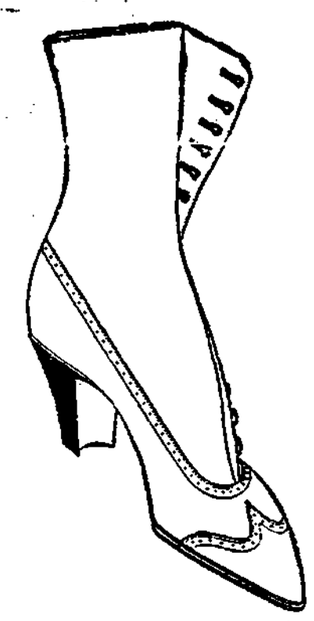

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Ladies' Rubbers, regular 60c and 65c values, storm and low, bargain price... **39c**

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Three Competitive Ballots—First 100,000 votes, Second 75,000 extra votes, Third 50,000 extra votes. This is positively the best offer of Extra Votes that will be made. The time to get busy is now.

Opportunity Offer Will Close February 26th, 10 P. M.

How to Get Votes

If you belong to a church let your friends know you are running.

Anyone, anywhere, can vote for a candidate. If you have a friend you wish to vote for, who has not yet been nominated, send in your votes and fill out the nomination blank printed in the Mail or Mirror. This nomination blank counts 1,000 votes to start with.

No extra papers will be printed for sale of coupons contained therein.

If you have any complaints to make, kindly make them to the Contest Editor. We want everybody satisfied.

Above all, pay no attention to rumors. They are usually circulated by your competitors, or their friends, for the purpose of discouraging you.

Once entered, do not drop out. What if someone should be a few votes ahead today? You put some sand on the track and pass them tomorrow.

If you belong to an organization let your fellow members know you are in the race. It pays to advertise.

Don't knock the other candidate. Remember the "Golden Rule."

Don't forget that the children can do the most effective work in collecting coupons. Every little bit helps.

Should your father, brother or friends belong to any organizations, get them to work for you.

Do not let the day pass without casting a ballot. Success is the reward of persistency.

Enlist the interest of your friends and friends' friends.

If you have friends in other cities, write them a letter. Tell them the value of the prize you are working for.

We have some printed letters you may use.

Call and get a supply. If you learn of any person who is not a reader of the Mail or Mirror, secure their subscriptions whether you know them or not.

Ask your political friends to furnish ideas. They know how to organize, and organization means success.

Special receipt books are furnished by the contest department of the Mail Publishing Company.

Call on the contest editor and get acquainted.

An Opportunity For New Entries

Several of the districts afford an excellent opening for new and active candidates. With this special inducement it will be an easy matter to attain the leadership in your district. Just look over the vote schedule and see how easy you can overtake the leader in any or the districts.

It is imperative that every one work hard now, for if you don't you not only lose the votes, but your opponent gains, placing them at quite an advantage over you when the final counting is made on March 26.

Candidates residing outside of the city of Charleroi will have the privilege of mailing their orders up to the closing hour and all letters containing subscriptions bearing the postmark of Feb. 26 will count on "opportunity offer."

This is a "Grand Opportunity Time"—Get Busy

Schedule of Votes

Voting power of subscriptions of the Charleroi Mail and Charleroi Mirror.

CHARLEROI MAIL

	PRICE	VOTES
Four months	$ 1.00	300
Six months	1.50	400
One year	3 00	1,000
Two years	6 00	3,000
Five years	15.00	10,000

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Friday Eve'g, Feb. 18

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Some Rich Special Features

ADMISSION :: 25 Cents

Entertainment Begins at 8:15. Tickets on Sale at Lindsay's Store

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Estelle Chamberlain

the phenomenal psychic wonder and seer of the age has arrived in Charleroi where she will remain for one week only. Gives startling accurate messages from the so-called dead, including names and detailed facts. Independent slate writing done in the light.

Estelle Chamberlain extends a hearty invitation to all spiritualists and seekers to attend her

Friday Night Meeting at 8:00 O'Clock

All present will receive slate writings and messages.

Private interviews daily at

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Removes superfluous hair from any part of the body. The only safe and reliable depilatory known. Large bottle $1.00; sample 10c. Send for booklet free.

Madame Josephine Le Fevre, 1305 Chestnut St., Philada., Pa.

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CLAIM WILL BE PAID IN PLENTY OF TIME

Editor Charleroi Mail; Permit us a few words in reference to the death claim of John Watkinson in the Knights of the Maccabees of the World. Some talk and censure has been going around about the order being slow in payments. In a claim like it there is always more or less delay, but as soon as they are satisfied with facts concerning it, the claim is paid promptly. In the death of a suicide the law for the order, Section 396—Revised 1904 says the beneficiary shall receive twice the amount paid to the Life Benefit Fund. Being informed of the needs in his case they granted a donation of $360.00 from the relief fund, which was a kindly and considerate thing for them to do. This in addition to the legal amount to which the beneficiary is entitled, making a total of $1,000.

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Extensive Alterations

Carpenters are at work making extensive alterations in our Notion, Art Goods, and Gents' Furnishing sections and while this work is going on extremely low prices will prevail. Our shelves must be cleared of remaining goods; to do so prices have been cut tremendously.

Men's Fleeced Underwear, 50c grade for.....39c
Men's Wool Underwear, $1 grade for.....79c
50c Neckwear.....39c
25c Neckwear 19c
15c Sox.....9c

Ladies' handkerchiefs, gloves, mittens, hand bags, buttons, supporters, underwear and hosiery, baby caps, tams, everything at big reductions.

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OUT OF THE GLOOM

Many a Gloomy Countenance in Charleroi Now Lightens With Happiness.

A bad back makes you gloomy.
Can't be happy with continual backache.
The aches and pains of a bad back
Are mostly due to sick kidneys.
Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys.
They have made many a happy home in Charleroi.
Read what a grateful citizen says:
Mrs. Thomas Christopher, 117 Lookout avenue, Charleroi, Pa., says: "Some years ago a member of my family complained of a dull ache in the small of the back and other symptoms of kidney trouble. Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at Piper Bros.' Drug Store, were finally used and they brought prompt relief. I am always willing to give this remedy my endorsement."
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Dyspepsia may be completely eradicated if properly treated. We sell a remedy that we positively guarantee will completely relieve indigestion or dyspepsia, or the medicine used during the trial will cost the user nothing.

This remedy has been named Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets. Certainly no offer could be more fair, and our offer should be proof positive that Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets are a dependable remedy.

Inasmuch as the medicine will cost you nothing if it does not benefit you, we urge you who are suffering with indigestion or dyspepsia to try Rexall Dyspepsia tablets. A 25 cent box contains enough medicine for fifteen days' treatment. For chronic cases we have two larger sizes, 50 cents and $1.00. Remember you can obtain Rexall Remedies in Charleroi only at our store—The Rexall Store. John W. Carroll.

LOST—An open faced gold watch, initials R. H. S. on back. Reward of $5.00 if returned to 200 this office. 153t2p

LOCAL NOTES

Brief Mention of People and Events in this Community.

Clarence Velettay has returned to Rochester after a visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Velettay.

Grover Teagarden, who traveled with a Metroplitan theatrical stock company for some months, is home to spend some time.

Philip Hileman of California, a former employe of the Mail, was in Charleroi yesterday, and called on friends at this office.

Chief of Police C. W. Albright, William Darby and Alva Osborne are in Washington today as witnesses on the arson case against Mrs. Susie Smith of Charleroi.

J. D. Berryman and W. H. Atkins have gone to New York city, where they will spend some time on business, preparing to equip a new department of Berryman's Department store with

NEW DEPARTMENT BEING INSTALLED

Men's Clothing Will be Sold at J. W. Berryman & Son's Store.

J. W. Berryman and Son are about to add to their already large and well selected stock a clothing department. This department has been asked for so strongly by the patrons of this big department store that it is deemed unwise to longer delay its addition.

In the clothing end of the business the firm states they will follow out the same winning principle to the very best quality of merchandise and sell at a figure that will be within reach of all or in other words, quality at the lowest figure. W. H. Atkins will have charge of his department, and as Mr. Atkins is too well known here to need any introduction it goes without saying the department will be well managed. Mr. Atkins has had an extensive experience, having served six years with the well known Landefeld Clothing company of Monongahela and also as partner in the Charleroi clothing concern known as Campbell and Atkins.

Mr. Berryman and Mr. Atkins are going east to complete the purchases for the new department. The room which the men's furnishing department has always occupied will be thoroughly over-hauled and remodeled, and fixtures of the most up-to-date and modern make will be installed.

The Welsh Improved Clothing Cabinets will serve to show and protect the clothing and an electrically lighted alcove will be part of the new fixtures. Modern clothing front windows will be put in just as soon as the weather moderates sufficiently to start the work and on completion will make this an ideal up-to-date department.

The stock will embrace everything in men's and boy's clothing, hats and men's furnishings.

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Pieces of Beautiful Spring Woolens Just Arrived.
Look Them Over.

Classified Ads

FOR SALE—Remington Typewriter, No. 7 Model. Machine in perfect condition. May be seen and thoroughly examined. A rare bargain. Inquire F., Mail office. 145t2p

FOR SALE—Seven room house, bath room, pantry, good cellar furnace room and laundry. Cheap to quick buyer, 406 Lookout avenue, next First to Presbyterian church. 147tf

FOR SALE—1900 Washing machine, new. Apply Robertson's, 233 McKean avenue. 125t2p

WANTED—Lady canvassers. J. D. Snitzer and Co., 541 Fallowfield avenue. 151tf

FOR SALE—3 sets extra good hand made work harness. Inquire Higgins, 109 McKean avenue. 153t2

WANTED—Boy, with good reference for furniture store. Apply Southern Furniture Store 412, Fallowfied avenue. 153t3

DANCING!

Every Friday Evening throughout the Season, Pank Hall, Charleroi. Auspices Friday Night Club. Music by Jenkins' Orchestra.

Answer This Question

When thousands of women say that they have been cured of their ailments by a certain remedy, does this not prove the merit of that remedy?

Thousands of women have written the story of their suffering, and have told how they were freed from it by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound — for thirty years these reports have been published all over America.

Without great merit this medicine could never have gained the largest sale of any remedy for woman's ills — never could have become known and prized in nearly every country in the world.

Can any woman let prejudice stand between her and that which will restore her health? If you believe those who have tried it you know this medicine *does* cure.

Read this letter from a grateful woman, then make up your mind to give Mrs. Pinkham's medicine a chance to cure you.

Brooklyn, N. Y.—"I am a firm believer in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I was a great sufferer from organic female troubles for years, and almost despaired of ever being well again. I had bearing-down pains, backache, headache and pains in my abdomen, and tried Mrs. Pinkham's Compound as a last resort. The result was astonishing, and I have used it and advocated it ever since. It is a great boon to expectant mothers. I have often said that I should like to have its merits thrown on the sky with a search-light so that women would read and be convinced that there is a remedy for their sufferings.
"My husband joins me in its praise. He has used it for kidney trouble and been entirely cured."—Mrs. E. A. Bishop, 1915 Atlantic Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

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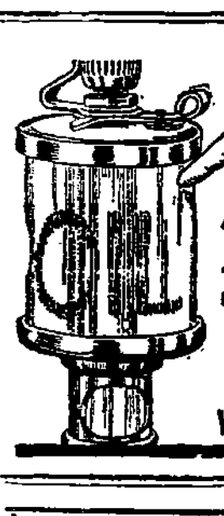

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MEN'S AND LADIES' FOOTWEAR

$6.00 men's shoes now. $4.48
5.50 and $5.00 men's shoes now..... 3.98
4.00 men's or ladies shoes now 3.48
3.50 men's or ladies' shoes now 2.98
3.00 men's or ladies' shoes now..... 2.48
2.50 men's or ladies shoes now..... 1.98
2.00 men's or ladies' shoes now..... 1.48

RUBBER FOOTWEAR

Men's rubbers 58c
Ladies' rubbers.....39c
Misses' rubbers ... .36c
Children's rubbers 33c

BOYS' AND GIRLS'

$2.50 misses's shoes now.... ....$1.98
2.00 misses' shoes now.... ..... 1.48
1.50 misses' shoes now..... .98
3.50 boys' shoes now 2.98
3.00 boys' shoes now 2.48
2.50 boys' shoes now.... ..... 1.98
2.00 boys' shoes now..... 1.48

BIG BARGAINS IN WARM LINED GOODS

$1.50 ladies' shoes.....98c
2.00 ladies' shoes.....$1.24
1.50 ladies' Juliets 69c
.75 ladies' slippers.....39c
1.00 girls' slippers.....59c
.75 girls' slippers.....39c

We're doing our drumming by giving our patrons unusual bargains. So we say, see the shoes, note the prices and keep from buying. if you can.

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